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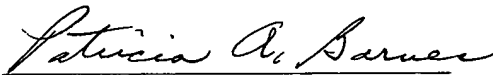
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AMENDMENT

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed on June 3, 2005 for the above-referenced application. A petition has also been filed herewith requesting a two (2) month extension of time for response. Applicants request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.